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## NOVEMBER 2.

MR. CHAS. P. PEROT in the Chair.

Twenty-six persons present.

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NOVEMBER 9.

The President, SAMUEL G. DIXON, M. D., in the Chair.

Twenty-seven persons present.

Papers under the following titles were presented for publication :—

“New Brazilian Streptaxidæ,” by Henry A. Pilsbry.

“Notes on Living and Extinct Species of North American Bovidæ,” by Samuel N. Rhoads.

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NOVEMBER 16.

The President, SAMUEL G. DIXON, M. D., in the Chair.

Thirty-five persons present.

The death of Harrison Allen, M. D., on the 14th inst., was announced. Whereupon, after a statement by the Chair of his services to the Academy, the following minute was unanimously adopted :—

THE ACADEMY OF NATURAL SCIENCES OF PHILADELPHIA desires to place on record its appreciation of the great loss it has sustained in the death of DR. HARRISON ALLEN. His earliest scientific work was accomplished within its walls and his subsequent investigations, including those which engaged his attention at the time of his death, were all either directly or indirectly contributions to its credit and standing in the scientific world.

In the several executive and administrative offices to which he had been appointed—Corresponding Secretary, Member of the Council and of the Library Committee—his performance of the duties of each was characterized by loyalty to the best interests of the society.

While his fellow-members rejoice in the just recognition accorded him by the scientific world as Comparative Anatomist, Mammalogist

and Anthropologist, they deeply regret the untimely loss of his co-operation.

As a student of the works of nature he was conscientious, accurate and thorough; as a friend he was generous, sympathetic and helpful.

The members of the Academy, while thus giving expression to their regret for the death of their associate desire to convey to his wife and children their sincere sympathy in their irreparable bereavement.

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NOVEMBER 23.

The President, SAMUEL G. DIXON, M. D., in the Chair.

Seventeen persons present.

A paper entitled "The Plants of Lewis and Clark's Expedition across the Continent during the years 1804-1806," by Thomas Meehan, was presented for publication.

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NOVEMBER 30.

The President, SAMUEL G. DIXON, M. D., in the Chair.

Thirty-four persons present.

A paper entitled "New and Little-known Bees from Washington State," by T. D. A. Cockerell, was presented for publication.

The death, on the 24th inst., of George H. Horn, M. D., was announced and a resolution was adopted authorizing the appointment of a committee to make arrangements for a Memorial Meeting to commemorate the services to science of Harrison Allen, M. D., and George H. Horn, M. D.

A minute from the last meeting of the Anthropological Section of a communication made by the late Dr. Harrison Allen on a method of comparing skulls was read by Mr. Chas. Morris, who was requested, in view of the fact that it is probably Dr. Allen's last contribution to science, to prepare it for publication in the Proceedings of the Academy.

Mr. J. Waln Vaux was elected a member.

Dr. Fridtjof Nansen of Christiania, Norway, was elected a correspondent.

The following was ordered to be printed:—